

Application No. 09/287,985
Amendment "D" dated June 28, 2004
Reply to Office Action mailed March 29, 2004

REMARKS

The latest Office Action mailed March 29, 2004, considered claims 1-2, 4-19, 23-25 and 27-29. Claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 9-13, 15, 16, 19, 24 and 27-29 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Kaplan (U.S. Patent No. 6,058,430) in view of Ferris (U.S. Patent No. 6,253,228). Claims 8, 17, 18 and 23 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Kaplan in view of Ferris. Claims 6 and 7 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Kaplan in view of Ferris, and further in view of DuFresne (U.S. Patent No. 5,835,712)¹. The office action also found the subject matter of claims 14 and 25 to be allowable, but for the fact that they depended on rejected independent claims.

By this paper, claims 14 and 25 have been cancelled and each of the independent claims have been amended to include a limitation corresponding to the subject matter that was objected to, but otherwise found allowable, in claims 14 and 25. This subject matter specifies that the information resource includes a script that the script from the script trigger passes a value to the script of the information resource, as previously recited in claims 14 and 25. Support for these claim amendments is also found in the specification on p. 6, ll. 10-15 and p. 7, ll. 17-19.

Inasmuch as each of the independent claims incorporates the allowable subject matter, Applicants respectfully submit that this application is now in condition for immediate allowance. In the event that the Examiner finds remaining impediment to a prompt allowance of this application that may be clarified through a telephone interview, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney.

Dated this 28 day of June 2004.

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ Although it is not necessary to challenge the prior art status and teachings of the cited art at this time, Applicants reserve the right to challenge the prior art status and teachings of the cited art at any appropriate time, should it arise.